

# Public Participation Opportunity Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Water Resources (DWR) Notice Requesting Public Comments on Draft Permit Actions

# November 27, 2018

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Expiration Date: January 01, 2019

The purpose of this notice is to advise the public of the following proposed permit actions and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the potential impact of the proposed activities on human health and the environment. A list of Notices of Intent (NOIs) received by the DWR is available on our DataViewer web page:

http://www.tennessee.gov/environment/article/tdec-dataviewers

Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you believe will be interested.

# **Individual NPDES Permits**

#### **Proposed Reissuances**

Applicant Name	City of Greenbrier				
Permit Number	TN0020621	Permit Writer Initials	MTS	Discharger rating Minor	
County	Robertson			EFO Name Nashville	
Street Address/Location	1223 Sugar Camp Creek Rd.				
City and/or Zip Code	Greenbrier, TN 37073				
Description of Activity	treatment of municipal wastewater by sequencing batch reactor with ultraviolet disinfection				
Effluent Description	treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001				
Receiving Stream	unnamed tributary at mile 0.5 to Carr Creek at mile 10.3				
Facility Latitude	36.4300	Facility Longitude		-86.8200	
Applicant Name	City of Manchester				
Permit Number	TN0025038	Permit Writer Initials	WDM	Discharger rating Major	
County	Coffee			EFO Name Columbia	
Street Address/Location	736 West High Street				
City and/or Zip Code	Manchester, TN 37355				
Description of Activity	Treatment of municipal sewage by extended aeration activated sludge (oxidation ditch)				
Effluent Description	treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001				
Receiving Stream	Duck River at mile 268.5				
Facility Latitude	35.4800	Facility Longitude		-86.1000	

Applicant Name City of Oak Ridge

Permit Number TN0078051 JAH Permit Writer Initials Discharger rating Minor EFO Name Knoxville

County Roane

City and/or Zip Code

Hiddenberry Street Street Address/Location

treatment of municipal wastewater by extended aeration Description of Activity

**Effluent Description** treated municipal wastewater from outfall 001

Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Clinch River at mile 12.85 Receiving Stream

-84.4200 35.9100 **Facility Latitude** Facility Longitude

City of Oak Ridge Applicant Name

Permit Number TN0024155 JAH Permit Writer Initials Discharger rating Major

Anderson EFO Name Knoxville County

200 Monterey Road Street Address/Location Oak Ridge, TN 37831 City and/or Zip Code

Description of Activity Treatment of municipal sewage via coarse screening, grit removal, grease removal,

primary sedimentation, activated sludge treatment, secondary clarification and UV

**Effluent Description** treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001

East Fork Poplar Creek at mile 8.3 Receiving Stream

**Facility Latitude** 35.9900 -84.3200 Facility Longitude

Applicant Name Shelbyville Power, Water & Sewerage System

TN0024180 Permit Number **Permit Writer Initials WDM** Discharger rating Major EFO Name Columbia

County Bedford

525 West Jackson Street Street Address/Location

Shelbyville, TN 37160 City and/or Zip Code

treatment of municipal sewage by activated sludge Description of Activity

**Effluent Description** treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001

Duck River at mile 221.25 Receiving Stream

-86.4700 **Facility Latitude** 35.4800 **Facility Longitude** 

**Applicant Name Town of Bruceton** 

Permit Number TN0062014 Permit Writer Initials JAH Discharger rating Minor EFO Name Jackson

County Carroll

314 Poplar Lane Street Address/Location

Bruceton, TN 38317 City and/or Zip Code

treatment of municipal wastewater in a lagoon Description of Activity

**Effluent Description** treated municipal wastewater from Outfall 001

the Big Sandy River at mile 31.0 Receiving Stream

36.0500 -88.2300 **Facility Latitude** Facility Longitude

# **POTW - Pretreatment Program Approvals:**



The Division of Water Resources is authorized to approve local POTW Pretreatment Programs for the administration and enforcement of the National Pretreatment Standards of Performance for industrial users of the respective Publicly Owned Treatment Works listed in this notice. Additionally, the POTW Programs are required to prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will interfere with their operation, including the use or disposal of sludge, and prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will pass through the treatment works or be otherwise incompatible. All POTW Pretreatment Programs approved are in accordance with the Tennessee Water Quality Control Act, the federal Clean Water Act, and appropriate regulations.

#### **End of List**

#### **How to Comment:**

TDEC is requesting public comment on this permit action. Obtaining a broad range of facts and opinions on Agency actions is one of the best ways to ensure quality decisions. Persons wishing to comment on the proposed action are invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Resources at William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, Attn: Public Notice Coordinator, by fax number (615) 532-0686, or by E-mail at Water.Permits@tn.gov. Comments must be received by the public notice expiration date (January 01, 2019).

#### How to Request a Public Hearing:

Interested persons may request in writing that the Director of the Division of Water Resources hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed by the public notice expiration date (January 01, 2019) and must indicate the interest of the party filing it and the reasons why such a hearing is warranted. When there is significant public interest for a hearing, a hearing will be conducted according to Division of Water Resources Rule 0400-40-05-.06(12). Public hearings will be announced through another public notice.

### How the Department will Proceed:

The Director of the Division of Water Resources will determine the final permit action after considering comments submitted during the comment period, the hearing record, if any, and the requirements of the Federal and State acts and regulations.

#### To Obtain Permit Details:

Copies of the application(s) and draft permit(s) are also available for public inspection by contacting TDEC at http://state.tn.us/environment/field-offices.shtml, by calling 1-888-891-TDEC (8332), or by visiting the following locations during normal business hours:

Environmental Field Office - Chattanooga 1301 Riverfront Parkway, Suite 206 Chattanooga, TN 37402 (423) 634-5745 Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie

Environmental Field Office - Columbia 1421 Hampshire Pike Columbia, TN 38401 (931) 380-3371

Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry, Wayne

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Environmental Field Office - Cookeville

1221 South Willow Avenue

Cookeville, TN 38506

(931) 432-4015

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren,

Warren, White

Environmental Field Office - Jackson

1625 Hollywood Drive

Jackson, TN 38305

(731) 512-1300

Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, De Kalb, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood,

Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Weakley

Environmental Field Office - Johnson City

2305 Silverdale Road

Johnson City, TN 37601

(423) 854-5400

Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington

Environmental Field Office - Knoxville

3711 Middlebrook Pike

Knoxville, TN 37921

(865) 594-6035

Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe,

Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union

Environmental Field Office - Memphis

8383 Wolf Lake Drive

Bartlett, TN 38133-4119

(901) 371-3000

Fayette, Shelby, Tipton

Environmental Field Office - Nashville

711 R.S. Gass Boulevard

Nashville, TN 37243

(615) 687-7000

Cheatham, Davidson, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart, Sumner,

Trousdale, Williamson, Wilson

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## State of Tennessee Antidegradation Policy:

Antidegradation determinations have been made in regard to the permits referenced in this Public Notice. Tennessee's Antidegradation Statement is found in Chapter 0400-40-03-.06 of the Rules of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. The primary purpose of the antidegradation policy is to establish a greater level of protection for those waters that are identified to be of high quality. Generally, there are two types of high quality waters. Some high quality waters are those at near pristine conditions. These Outstanding National Resource Waters (ONRWs) are specifically designated by the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas and are afforded the greatest level of protection. No new discharges or expansion of existing discharges are allowed to result in degradation of the existing water quality. Waters determined to be high quality due to specialized uses and/or unique features and are identified by the Department as Exceptional Tennessee Waters are also protected against degradation.

Some degradation may be allowed in the Exceptional Tennessee Waters only if the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas deems it economically and socially necessary. Other surface waters not specifically identified and/or designated as high quality are referred to as waters with available or unavailable conditions. Generally, new discharges or increases in existing discharges may be allowed in waters not identified as ONRWs or Exceptional Tennessee Waters. The Division of Water Resource's evaluation of such discharges may include the following provisions:

- The proposed lowering of water quality by the discharge is necessary for economic growth or community benefit; the proposed discharge can not be mitigated by reasonable pollution prevention measures; and
- · There is no other reasonable non-discharge alternative available to prevent the new/increased discharge to waters with available or unavailable conditions.

In all cases, the proposed discharge must meet water quality standards and fully protect all classified uses. Information used by the Division of Water Resources in evaluating any of the above provisions is available upon request.

# **State of Tennessee Policy of Non-Discrimination:**

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's policy of non-discrimination, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability, or military service in its policies, or in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs, services or activities. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action inquiries or complaints should be directed to the EEO/AA Coordinator, Office of General Counsel, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-888-867-7455. ADA inquiries or complaints should be directed to the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources Division, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 2nd Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102, 1-866-253-5827. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service (1-800-848-0298).

If it is hard for you to read, speak, or understand English, TDEC may be able to provide translation or

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